

This listing of claims replaces all prior versions, and listings, of claims in this application.

Listing of Claims:

1. (Canceled)

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14. (Canceled)

15. (Original) A portable vision screening apparatus for use by an examiner for screening vision in a patient to detect vision disorders, comprising:

(a) a series of display cards attached to a base as a flip chart, wherein each card displays an optotype calibrated to indicate an assessment of visual acuity at a particular vision level when viewed from a predetermined distance; and

(b) a string attached to the base having a length equal to the predetermined distance, wherein the predetermined distance is of at least a minimum length to measure distance vision to enable detection of vision disorders.

16. (Original) The portable vision screening apparatus according to claim 15, wherein the predetermined distance is approximately one meter in length.

17. (Original) The portable vision screening apparatus according to claim 15, further comprising:

(c) a reference card displaying optotypes matching the optotypes provided on the display cards, whereby a patient points to the optotype on the reference card that corresponds with the optotype displayed on the display card.

18. (Original) The portable vision screening apparatus according to claim 17, wherein the set of display cards contains four optotypes for each particular vision level, and the child is screened for each particular vision level by correcting matching on the reference card at least three out of four optotypes for that vision level.

19. (Original) The portable vision screening apparatus according to claim 18, wherein the vision levels include 20/100, 20/50, and 20/30.

20. (Original) The portable vision screening apparatus according to claim 15, wherein the predetermined distance is sufficient to screen a child's vision to detect amblyopia.